if we are not going to restrict the purchase of articles from State people. The people from whom these articles were purchased were the direct importers of Norwegian Stoves and their prices were the cheapest and hence I indented.

Mr. C. A. Ouseph.—How many firms ?

Dr. D. Raghavendra Rao.—Half a dozen.

Mr. C. A. Ouseph.—In Madras.

Dr. D. Raghavendra Rao.—Some in Madras and others in Bombay.

Mr. C. A. Ouseph.—Did the C. M. and S. O. consult local firms?

Dr. D. Raghavendra Rao.—Yes; their prices were higher.

Mr. C. A. Ouseph.—May I know whether Cinchona is manufactured in Madras ?

Dr. D. Raghavendra Rao.—Yes, it is.

Mr. C. A. Ouseph.—May I know why tenders were not called for ?

Dr. D Raghavendra Rao.—Because the Madras Government factory is the cheapest.

Mr. C. A. Ouseph.—How did the C. M. and S. O. know that it is the cheapest ?

Dr. D. Raghavendra Rao.—It is the Madras Government factory. It takes only the cost price. They have been the quinine producers and we have been purchasing from them.

Cases—Prosecuting Inspectors.

371. Mr. C. A. Ouseph—Will the Government be pleased to place a statement on the table showing the number of cases the Prosecuting Inspectors of the Northern and Southern Divisions respectively were in charge of on the 1st of Chingam 1107 and on 30th Thulam 1107?

Mr. P. Nilakanta Menon.—A statement is appended. (*Appendix II.*)

Mr. C. A. Ouseph.—May I know whether the appendix shows that there is no scope for two Prosecuting Inspectors?

Mr. P. Nilakanta Menon.—For the information of the House I may say that Government have passed orders saying that as an experiment it may be tried with one officer.

Traffic control.

372. Mr. C. A. Ouseph.—Will the Government be pleased to state whether they are aware that at present there is a sort of 'dyarchy' in traffic control and that such dyarchy militates against efficient control?

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APPENDIX II.

(Vide Answer to Question No. 371)

Statement showing the number of cases the Prosecuting Inspectors were in charge of on 1st Chingam 1107 and 30th Thulam 1107.

Prosecuting Inspector, Northern Division.

1st Chingam 1107.			30th Thulam 1107.		
1st Class cases	..	4	1st Class cases	...	3
2nd Class case	..	1	2nd Class cases	...	4
R. C. cases	..	7	R. C. cases	...	3
M. C. case	..	1	M. C. case	..	1
Non-Police cases	..	3	Appeals	...	3
			Non-Police case	..	1
Total		16	Total		15

Prosecuting Inspector, Anjikaimal Division (Southern Division).

On 1st Chingam 1107.			On 30th Thulam 1107.		
1st Class cases	..	17	1st Class cases	..	16
R. C. cases	..	8	2nd Class cases	...	4
M. C. cases	..	4	R C. cases	..	4
Appeal	..	1	M. C. case	...	1
Non-Police case	..	1	Appeal	...	1
			Non-Police cases	...	3
Total		31	Total		29

APPENDIX III.

(Vide Answer to Question No. 383)

കനാൽ ഉദ്യോഗസ്ഥന്മാരുടെ ശമ്പളത്തിന്റെ ലിസ്റ്റ്.

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ക	കനാൽ സൂപ്രണ്ടെ	ന	ര ം—ന ം	
ഖ	ഗുമസ്ഥന്മാർ	ന	ഖ ള—ര ം	
ന	ജെട്ടി സൂപ്രണ്ടെ	ര	ഖ ള—ര ം	
ര	ചെക്കർ	ഖ	ഖ ം—ഖ ള	
ങ	മേസ്തി	ന	ഖ ം—ഖ ള	
ന	പെയൻറർ	ന	ക ള—ഖ ം	
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